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### Thursday, Feb. 22 9 am - 3 pm

Located at Reinig Center, 1007 S. Prospect Dr., Toledo, IA

#### **Employer Summit Agenda:**

9 - 9:15 am - Welcome 9:15 - 11 am - Working with persons with Disabilities 11 - 11:15 am - Break 11:15 am - 1 pm - Making a Connection Across Generations/Lunch 1 - 2:45 pm - Appeals & Unemployment

HRCI and SHRM credits are available

\$20 registration fee includes all session material and lunch.

Register online at www.lowaValley.com for course number PFD 1500.1.





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## **Employers working with persons with Disabilities**

During this session you will learn Benefits offered to employers who hire persons with disabilities, what are reasonable accommodations, ADA compliance and about job analysis that can be done at your company.

Presented by: Michelle Krefft, M.S. Resource Manager for Business Services for Iowa Vocational Rehabilitation Services.

Michelle works closely with business partners to recognize the success that comes with a diverse workforce including persons with disabilities. Michelle works with local and regional lowa businesses to solve hiring and retention difficulties through identifying barriers and problem solving. She is the chair of the EDRN (Employment Disability Resource Network), sits on the Diversity and inclusion Counsel with the Greater Des Moines Partnership, represents IVRS on the National Employment Team and is on the Sector Partnership Leadership Council of lowa. Prior to her position as a Resource Manager, Michelle was a counselor in the Mason City IVRS office.



# Making a Connection Across Generations

During this working lunch session, Jennifer will discuss the 5 principles and 5 practices of making a connection across generations. The presence of multiple generations presents a new set of challenges and an exciting opportunity to influence diverse skill sets and experiences to drive innovation and collaboration. Learn how your approach can recognize differences and create a workplace culture that is based on respect, recognition, trust, and valuing differing perspectives.

Presented by: Jennifer Stevenson, Independent Consultant

Jennifer Stevenson is a certified independent coach, consultant, teacher, and keynote speaker with the John Maxwell Team, one of the world's top leadership training organizations. Jennifer teaches leadership in youth and adults, as well as the power of connection/communication, business success, and telling your story.





#### **Appeals & Unemployment**

This session will provide information on the unemployment insurance appeals process; preparations for the appeal hearing; expectations for the appeal hearing process; differences between the fact finding interview and the appeal hearing: descriptions of common issues in unemployment appeals; and updates on new rules, appellate court decisions, and more.

Presented by: Emily Chafa, Bureau Manager for Appeals process, and Jason Rude, Manager for the Unemployment division

Emily Chafa manages the lowa Workforce Development UI Appeals Bureau, where she supervises the Administrative Law Judges who conduct unemployment insurance administrative appeal hearings and the Appeals Bureau support staff. She previously worked as the attorney for the Misclassification Unit of Iowa Workforce Development, Deputy Director of Litigation for Iowa Legal Aid, Assistant City Attorney for the City of Des Moines, prosecutor for the Cook County State's Attorney's Office, and as an associate attorney at the Hinshaw & Culbertson law firm in Chicago, Illinois.

Jason joined Iowa Workforce Development in Jan. 2015 and currently serves as an Unemployment Insurance Manager in the Unemployment Insurance Division. The Division is responsible for processing all Unemployment Insurance Claims, Adjudication, Benefit Payments, Training and Customer Service. Prior to joining Iowa Workforce Development, He served 21.5 years in the United States Marine Corps and holds a B.A. Degree from Chapman University and a M.A. degree from Brandman University.